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Fact Sheet: U.S. Army North COVID-19 Operations in Texas, North Dakota and Wisconsin

U.S. Army North, U.S. Northern Command's Joint Force Land Component Command, oversees Department of Defense COVID-19 response operations in support of the Federal Emergency Management Agency. Approximately 165 military medical personnel are currently working or recently worked alongside civilian healthcare providers, helping treat COVID-19 patients in Texas, North Dakota and Wisconsin as part of the whole-of-America response to the pandemic.

Texas

In Texas, approximately 60 military medical personnel from the U.S. Air Force supported FEMA and the state in the city of El Paso. These personnel comprised approximately three 20-person U.S. Air Force Medical Specialty Teams, and worked in three El Paso hospitals:

- 1. Hospitals of Providence Transmountain Campus from November 9 to December 2
- 2. University Medical Center of El Paso from November 9 to December 16
- 3. Las Palmas Del Sol Medical Center from November 9 to December 16

North Dakota

In North Dakota, approximately 60 nurses from the U.S. Air Force have been supporting FEMA and the state in four cities since November 23. These personnel comprise approximately six 10-person U.S. Air Force Medical Specialty Teams, and are supporting six hospitals in those cities:

- 1. Essentia Health-Fargo in Fargo
- 2. Sanford Medical Center in Fargo
- 3. CHI St. Alexius Health Medical Center in Bismarck
- 4. Sanford Medical Center in Bismarck
- 5. Altru Hospital in Grand Forks
- 6. Trinity Hospital St. Joseph's in Minot

Wisconsin

In Wisconsin, approximately 45 military medical personnel from two U.S. Army Urban Augmentation Medical Task Forces have been supporting FEMA and the state at four hospitals in four cities since December 13:

- 1. Marshfield Medical Center in Marshfield
- 2. Marshfield Medical Center in Eau Claire
- 3. Marshfield Medical Center in Beaver Dam
- 4. Marshfield Medical Center in Rice Lake